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PART VI

PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENTS

OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL INFORMATION OFFICER TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE. OLD PUBLIC OFFICES, BANGALORE.

Press Note.

As a measure of relief to the atchkatdars, who have suffered on account of failure of wet crops, under the atchkats of 485 tanks in Mulbagal Taluk due to scanty rainfall during the year 1952-53, seasonal remission of one half of the Wet Assessment amounting to Rs. 28,419–10–0 (Rupees twenty-eight thousand four hundred and nineteen and annas ten only) and suspension of the other half amounting to Rs. 28,419–10–0 (Rupees twenty-eight thousand four hundred and nineteen and annas ten only) is sanctioned for the year 1952-53.

(P.N. No. 57—26-8-53).

Press Note.

In the Press Note dated 24th June 1953, it was indicated that the Government of India had permitted the movement of stocks of broken rice from Madhya Pradesh, on trade account, on permits issued by the State Governments.

The Madhya Pradesh Government have prescribed 15th July 1953 as last date for receipt of applications for export permits. As the issue of import permits in favour of traders will be fruitless, the issue of permits for import of broken rice in favour of merchants of this State hereafter, will be stopped.

(P.N. No. 58—26-8-53).

Press Note.

ROAD TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

Though there has been a marked increase in the collections in the Road Transport Department recently, instances of the running staff not issuing tickets now and then, and misappropriating the amounts, are still being brought to the notice of the General Manager, and the Government.

It would not be easy for the running staff to misappropriate the fares, if the travelling public also realise their responsibility in the matter and insist on purchasing tickets immediately they board the Government buses. The drivers and conductors of buses are prohibited from moving the buses until tickets are issued to every passenger in the bus. Passengers are, therefore, requested invariably to insist upon getting tickets immediately they board the buses and complain promptly to the General Manager, Mysore Government Road Transport Department, in cases of non-issue. For the convenience of the public a Complaint book has been maintained in each bus and the running staff are bound to produce the book to any passenger desiring to record the complaint therein.

It is hoped that, with the kind co-operation of the enlightened travelling public, this leakage of revenue to the Department will be materially diminished. The public are therefore requested to kindly co-operate with the management in this respect.

(P.N. No. 59—28-8-53).

Press Note.

Reports have appeared in a section of the local Press that there have been frequent deaths of convicts either in the hospital attached to the Central Jail or in other hospitals where these convicts have been sent for treatment. Allegations have been made that these deaths are due to want of proper medical treatment. Another section of the press has attributed these deaths to the many lapses of the Jail Administration itself.

Realising the gravity of these allegations, Government immediately instituted a detailed enquiry into this matter. It has now been ascertained from the Inspector-General of Prisons that these allegations have been exaggerated in character. In a prison where over 1,200 inmates are to be looked after, it is natural that some of the convicts who have contracted serious and incurable diseases even before admission into the jail die in spite of the best medical treatment. All possible precautions have been taken in these cases. But Government wish to emphasise that they are taking further measures also to prevent such unfortunate occurrences. They also wish to inform the public that every effort will be made to see that the health of the convicts is maintained satisfactorily.

(P.N. No. 60—29th August 1953.)

Press Note.

The Second Meeting of the Central Advisory Council for cultural and literary development was held in the Chambers of the Chief Minister at Public Offices, Bangalore, on Wednesday the 26th August 1953 at 2–30 P.M.

Sri K. Hanumanthaiya, B.A., LL.B., Chief Minister, the Chairman of the Council, presided over the Meeting. Sri A. G. Ramachandra Rao, B.A., LL.B., Minister for Law and Education (Associate Chairman) and Sri J. B. Mallaradhya, M.A., I.A.S., Director of Public Instruction (*Vice-Chairman*) were also present.

The draft Scheme presented by the Director of Literary and Cultural Development and *Ex-officio* Secretary of the Council, was considered and the several aspects mentioned in the Scheme were discussed in great detail.

Several members present put forth their views, generally agreeing with the view that a final shape might be given to the Scheme keeping in view utmost economy at every stage.

At the conclusion of the discussion, the following Committees were constituted :—

I. Organisation Committee (Vyavastha Samithi) :—

Sriyuts.
1. J. B. Mallaradhya, (*Chairman*)
2. J. Mohamed Imam, M.L.A.
3. Y. Dharmappa, M.L.C.
4. G. Narayana Gowda, M.L.A.
5. N. P. Govinda Gowda, M.L.C.
6. N. S. Hirannayya
7. C. K. Venkataramayya (*Convenor*)

II. Planning Committee (Yojana Samithi) :—

Sriyuts.
1. K. Guru Dutt, (*Chairman*)
2. A. N. Krishna Rao
3. Siddavvanahalli Krishna Sarma
4. Shivakumara Swamigalu
5. Devudu Narasimha Sastry
6. M. R. Srinivasa Murthy
7. S. R. Nagappa Setty, M.L.A.
8. C. K. Venkataramayya, (*Convenor*)

III. Awards Committee (Sanmana Samithi) :—

Sriyuts.
1. A. G. Ramachandra Rao, Minister for Law and Education (*Chairman*).
2. J. B. Mallaradhya
3. Shivakumara Swamigalu
4. M. Venkatesa Iyengar
5. K. V. Puttappa
6. A. N. Murthy Rao
7. C. K. Venkataramayya, (*convenor*)

In the course of his concluding remarks, the Chief Minister while emphasising the use of educational institutions for moral rearmament, laid stress on the urgent need for enlightening the rural masses in the initial stages, through lectures and Gamaka recitals on subjects relating to our ancient heritage and culture. He said that the purpose of the Scheme was to improve the moral and ethical standards of the people and create in them a passion for righteousness and ultimately raise the level of national life. The Chief Minister pointed out that by sponsoring the Scheme for literary and cultural development, the State Government had planned for improved ethical life in Mysore to collaborate with the Five-Year Plan for raising the standards of economic life. He added further that a great responsibility had devolved upon the Members of the Central Advisory Council to work out the Scheme and to advice Government on the scope, organisation and implementation thereof and to suggest measures and methods required to honour writers and artists. He felt confident that the Scheme, which looked now like a small rivulet, would become ultimately a mighty river and transform the entire outlook of human life and values. He finally exhorted the members to take a keen interest in the Scheme and develop it in order to achieve the desired objective in view. He requested the Vyavastha Committee to give a practical programme for the next three months so that the Advisory Committee might watch the results and evolve future programmes and work.

(P.N. No. 61—29th August 1953)

B. N. SRI SATHYAN,
Principal Information Officer.

FOREST DEPARTMENT

KOLAR FOREST DIVISION.

Resale Notification dated 14th August 1953.

Resale of certain kinds of forest produce.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting the several kinds of forest produce of several units of the Kolar Forest Division during the current lease period from the date of sale will be resold at the risk of the original purchasers who have failed to adhere to the sale conditions (such as not paying the khist amount due as per sale conditions) by the District Forest Officer, Kolar District or by any other officer deputed by him for the purpose at the District Forest Office, Kolar, on Monday the 14th September 1953. The sale will commence at 2 P.M. and is subject to the confirmation by the District Forest Officer or the Chief Conservator of Forests as the case may be. The sale conducting officer is at liberty to accept or reject any bid offered in the sale without specifying any reason therefor so also to reserve any unit notified for sale.

For further particulars please see Notification No. S. 81-872—51-52, dated 5th January 1952 of the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, Bangalore, published on pages 46 to 48, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 17th January 1952 or ascertain the same from the District Forest Officer, Kolar.

1. For non-payment of the khist amounts due on 1st January 1953 and 1st July 1953, etc.

(*a*) Lease of Seethapal for 52-54.
1. Bagepalli Taluk.
2. Chintamani Taluk.
3. Bangarpet Taluk.

(*b*) Lease of Tamarind crop for 52-54:—For non-payment of khists due on 1st July 1953.
1. Forests of Malur Taluk.
2. Forests of Bagepalli Taluk.
3. Karbele plantation.
4. Plantations of Sidlaghatta Taluk.
5. Beechaganahalli Plantation.
6. Yellampalli Plantation.
7. Forests of Chikballapur Taluk.

(*c*) Honge leaves and seeds for 52-54.
1. Bagepalli Taluk.

(*d*) Lease of Maradi seeds of 52-54.
1. Chikballapur Taluk.
2. Goribidnur Taluk.
3. Bagepalli Taluk.
4. Srinivasapur Taluk.

(*e*) Other M. F. P. for 52-54.
1. Goribidnur Taluk.
2. Gudibanda Taluk.
3. Chikballapur Taluk.

R. KRISHNAMURTHY,
D.F.O.

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MYSORE FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 11th August 1953.

Tender for the Supply of Coir Ropes for use during Kheddas of 1953.

Sealed and superscribed tenders are invited from the public for the supply of the following quantities of assorted sizes of coir ropes required for the kheddas of 1953.

	Length		No. required (approximate)	Rate to be quoted
1	20' to 24'	...	1,000	In terms of 100 of each length. More or less.
2	32' to 45'	...	4,000	
3	45' to 50'	...	4,000	

Each tender should be accompanied by an earnest money deposit of Rs. 100 in currency notes.

The tender should be addressed to the District Forest Officer, Mysore and will be received by the District Forest Officer, Mysore, or by any other officer authorised by him in his absence *up to 3 p.m. on Monday the 7th September 1953* at the District Forest Office, Mysore.

For other particulars and conditions, please see detailed Notification dated 11th August 1953, published on pages 1065 and 1066 of Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 20th August 1953, a copy of which can be had on application or in person on working days during office hours.

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Notification dated 18th August 1953.

It is hereby notified that one Departmental Lorry in working condition bearing No. My 8284 Z and certain other unserviceable accessories will be sold by public auction at 10 A.M. on Monday the 14th September 1953 at Government Wood Yard, Mysore by the District Forest Officer, Mysore Division, Mysore or by any other officer deputed by him for the purpose.

2. The intending bidders should deposit a sum of Rs. 500 (Rupees five hundred only) in cash for the vehicle with the sale conducting officer and then offer his bid in the sale.

3. The highest bid in the sale will be considered for acceptance or otherwise and after the sale is concluded, the deposit of the highest bidder will be retained and adjusted towards the bid amount and the deposits of the remaining lower bidders will be refunded.

4. The highest bidder, as soon as the sale is concluded should pay the entire bid amount offered by him *minus* his deposit amount of Rs. 500 in cash and obtain receipt thereof from the sale conducting officer. If he fails to pay the bid amount immediately after the sale is concluded, a resale will be held at his risk and collect from him the deficit, if any, in the resale as an arrear of land revenue besides forfeiting his deposit amount to Government.

5. The sale conducting officer has reserved the power of accepting or non-accepting of any bid offered in the sale without assigning the reason therefor.

6. After the confirmation of the sale, the delivery of the vehicle will be made to the successful bidder and he will have to make arrangements to shift the vehicle immediately from the spot. The sale confirmation officer has reserved the right of confirmation or non-confirmation of the sale without assigning the reasons therefor.

7. The sale confirmation officer is the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, Bangalore.

8. The successful bidder should also pay sales-tax thereon on the full sale amount immediately after the conclusion of the sale at the rates in force.